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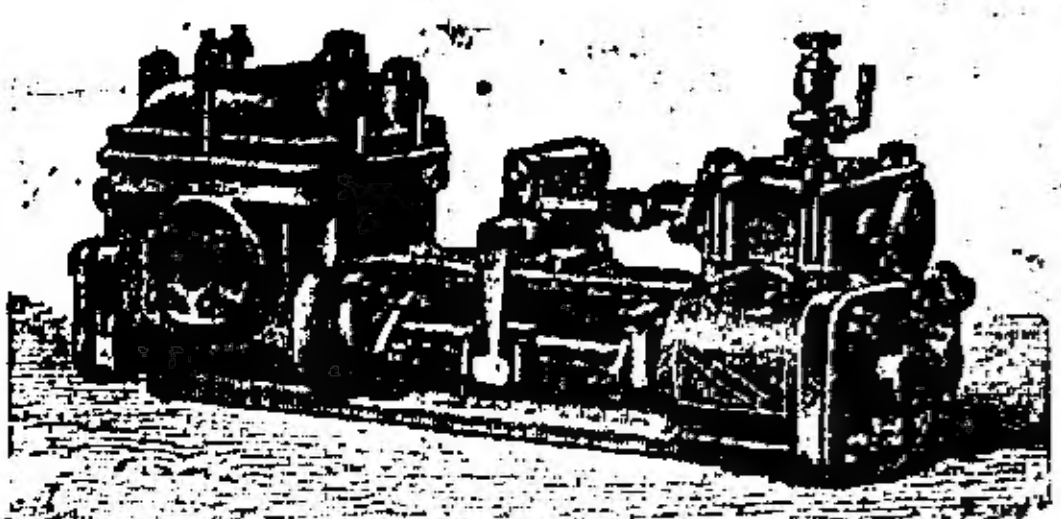
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57477/57501	55801/55940
11901/11955	34369/34501
50106/50190	36213/36224
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58142/58152	42141/42165
25502/25573	45528
25067/25081	56129/56188
25082/25088	46070/46110
25122/25131	45611/45635
32344/32345	47301/47310
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W. H. GASKELL,
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Hongkong, August 17, 1899. 1853

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

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By Order of the Board of Directors,
THOS. I. ROSE,
Secretary.
Hongkong, August 24, 1899. 1895

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LTD.

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THE DIVIDEND OF 8% per SHARE, and Bonus of 12% per SHARE for the Six Months ending 30th June, 1899, Declared at Monday's Ordinary Half-Yearly Meeting, will be PAYABLE at the Premises of the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, on and after TUESDAY, the 22nd August, and SHAREHOLDERS are requested to apply for DIVIDEND WARRANTS at the Company's Office, Queen's Buildings, Praya.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
THOS. I. ROSE,
Secretary.
Hongkong, August 21, 1899. 1890

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NOTICE.

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MILKE MARU, S. KAWANOTO,	DOMBAY, Y. SINGAPORE and COLOMBO.	TUESDAY, 5th Sept., at Noon.
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A. S. MITCHELL, *Manager.*

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